

# The Claresholm Advertiser

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## Grey Cloud's Notable Record

At Calgary on Dominion Day Grey Cloud was one of 9 starters for the Gentlemen's Race. He got away well but was bumped and crossed at the start and had to pursue a stern chase for the rest of the race, in which he worked his way from last to third place and was rapidly catching the leaders at the finish. He carried 160 lbs. to the other horses' 150 owing to being penalized for winning this race in 1911 and 1912. In 1910 he was third and in 1913 fourth. J. R. Watt who rode Grey Cloud was third in the Gentlemen's Race at Calgary in 1908, won in 1909, 2nd in 1911, 4th in 1913 and 3rd in 1914. There were 6 starters for the Hurdle Race over 5 furlongs, 13 miles, but from the start W. V. Brumby (who won the Derby at Claresholm last year) and Grey Cloud raced away neck and neck. It was a very exciting race, the grey gaining at the jumps and Brumby drawing ahead on the last. Brumby nearly fell at two of the jumps but maintaining his equilibrium won by 2 lengths at the finish. Thus for the 4th successive year Grey Cloud had to be content with second place in this race. McCaul who rode Brumby lacerated his hand badly when Brumby came to his nose at the first jump while Jeffers who rode Grey Cloud showed very fine horsemanship as one of his stirrups came off at the first jump and he had to ride the rest of the race in one stirrup.

## Stavelly--August 7th

The Stavelly Fair promises this year to be the best ever held in that town. It has a most loyal people behind it and everyone is doing or will now commence to do everything within their power to host the 1914 Fair into the first place among the smaller fairs of this district. But it is fair to say that much remains to be done. The management must do all, much as they already have done to make this Fair a success. They must have cooperation right to the last minute of the last hour of the day of the Fair. The winning of prizes is not the whole end for the exhibitor. The creating of competition improves everything that is made or grown or raised on the farm, on the kitchen garden and in the home. Measure your produce against the standards of the district and see how far you will have to improve to gain the first place next year. The people of the district have already learned that it is not the horse racing or the amusement features that make a fair, but the exhibits from every department of activity. The Fair will be measured by the exhibitors judged by the number of exhibitors whose interest in the Fair is shown by their exhibits.

## New Business Block

Hong Chong who purchased the building one door south of the post-office some time ago is having or is about to have business made to the premises this week. The original building has been moved back on the lot about 25 feet and it is said that he purposes erecting a two-story store building on the front of the lot. Whether it is to be brick or frame it is intended to be a credit to the street. Wm. Knight is superintending the building operations and Colin Tillotson, the moving operations. The front of the new building will be having or will have large plate glass windows put in.

## Prairie View

Mr. and Mrs. Simonson and Miss Lydia motored over from Rethlaw on Sunday.

Steve Marshall and his family paid a visit to the Hills on a goose-geying trip.

Geo. Carney is busy these days drilling a well for water which will be more acceptable when found than oil or wet gas.

The crops around here are looking fine and the smile is on every face. Summer-fallowing is the order of the day and all other things being equal next will see better crops because sown on better-farmed land.

## Five Mile

Tim and Mrs. Chilton left for the excursion to Banff on Wednesday.

Thos. Barley had the misfortune to lose valuable work horse last week.

Several attended the dance at the Grain Belt School last Wednesday evening and report a fine time.

Mrs. Isaac Lepard, Miss Georgia Redpath and Clara Wenger took in an excursion to Banff on Wednesday.

Miss Clara Wenger, of Calgary, has been a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chilton for the past week.

Alfred Berg left Wednesday morning for Banff to take treatment for rheumatism. His sister Mrs. O. A. Finstad, accompanied him.

Mrs. Geo. Lepard, who has been ill for some time, left on Tuesday for the Muelock Hospital where she will undergo treatment for a month.

On Wednesday evening of last week the friends of Mrs. P. T. Gibble to the number of about sixty paid her a surprise visit, the occasion being the anniversary of her birthday. Refreshments were served and all enjoyed a pleasant evening at this hospitable home. Many congratulations were showered upon Mrs. Gibble.

## Stavelly

Remember Stavelly Agricultural Fair, Friday August 7th.

BORN—On July 10th to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conns, a daughter.

Miss Ethel Hopkins of Stavelly was engaged as teacher, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Fairley.

BORN—On June 6th at La Grande Oregon to Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Smith, a daughter. Mrs. Smith and baby are doing well.

A. C. Moir, Mrs. Moir and family returned from Exeter, Ont., on Friday night after a month's delightful sojourn with his parents.

Rev. J. M. and Mrs. Fawcett left on Monday afternoon for Pincher Creek to attend the Summer School of the Southern Alberta Methodist Sunday School and Epworth League District. They will return on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hayward left on Monday morning for Athabasca Landing Alberta where Mr. Hayward will have charge of the branch of the Bank of Commerce. Since coming to Stavelly Mr. and Mrs. Hayward have made many friends from a business point of view, as well as social. The business men of Stavelly and vicinity are sorry to see them go, because Mr. Hayward was a splendid man with the ability to have business relations. All wish them success wherever they go.

## Everybody Meets Everybody at the Claresholm Agricultural Fair

### Woodhouse

Bishop Whitehead returned this week from a trip to Salt Lake City.

The celebration of "Pioneer Day" which is generally observed by the Mormon Church on July 24th, will not be celebrated here owing to the Claresholm Fair having pre-empted the day.

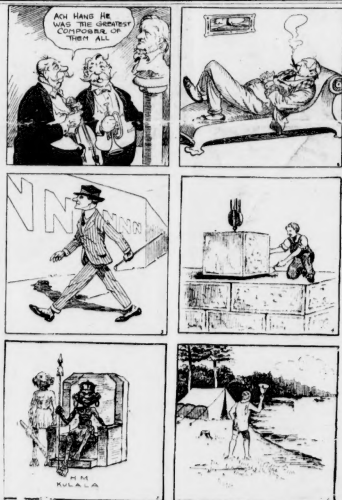
The young ladies' branch of the Mutual Improvement Society of the local church met at the home of J. M. Workman on Tuesday evening and passed a few hours pleasantly in games and music. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The quarterly conference of the Mormon church here was held this week. The president of the Alberta Stake, Mr. Woods with eight from Cardston, attended. Pres. Woods has been spending a few days in this vicinity, he having conducted the ceremony in the wedding of Geo. Gibson and Miss Cora Drellinger.

### Splendid Sample of Wheat

John A. Carlson, who lives 3 1/2 miles southwest of town near the Trout Lake schoolhouse, brought a splendid sample of Marquis wheat to our office last Friday, the berries are all plump and it stands over three feet high. Mr. Carlson has over 30 acres of this splendid grain and he thinks it should thresh about 40 bushels to the acre. He also has 400 acres of Red Fife which, although not quite as far advanced as the Marquis is looking in the very best condition.

Mr. Carlson is one of our earliest settlers, coming to Claresholm about twelve years ago from Nebraska, where he had farmed for over twenty years. Since coming here he has made great success, and although he has had some very good crops he doesn't believe in going into the grain business altogether. He realizes that mixed farming is the best paying proposition that this country offers and he makes a very nice revenue from his butter, cream and eggs.



## THE ADVERTISER'S SUMMER PASTIME

For Readers of Either the Claresholm or Stavelly Papers

### Don't Miss A Week

Commencing with our next week's issue will be The Advertiser's Summer Pastime. We wish to increase the number of our readers to 1000 and we are determined to get what we go after. At the same time, we will give our readers a Real Pleasure. There will be No Chasing after Votes, the contest Rules Will Be Easy and the contest will be Open To All.

Twenty Cash Prizes will be given. The First is \$50.00; the Second is \$12.50; the Third Prize is \$7.50; the Fourth Prize is \$5.00; the Fifth Prize is \$3.50; the Sixth Prize is \$2.75; from Sixth to Eleventh each drops 25c. below the one above; Twelfth to Twentieth, inclusive, are \$1.00. Each week we shall publish six pictures, each representing the name of a well-known player of baseball, football, hockey or lacrosse. Every name picture can be solved and will represent the name of one person.

Every reader of the Advertiser has the right to enter but the answers are to be made upon the coupon which will appear in our paper from week to week. We suggest that every out-coutlet like away what we have to say about this contest from week to week and to do so, you should have a paper for yourself. The contest will last for 12 weeks, six pictures each week. Nothing will count but the accuracy of the answers. Poor writing, or lack of neatness, or any trifling error in spelling will not hurt your chance at all. The rules of the contest will be published next week with the first instalment of pictures. The best advice we can give you is to secure a subscription to either The Claresholm Advertiser or to The Stavelly Advertiser and begin at the beginning. The contest includes the making of a puzzle paper as if it were one. One may secure as many as four prizes. Watch our columns for instructions from week to week. Address any communications to Summer Pastime Department, The Advertiser, Claresholm, Alta.

## Meadow Creek

Miss G. McVicar left for her home in Calgary last week.

Mr. McKinnon, of Toronto, is visiting his son, D. A. McKinnon, of this district.

Mrs. Fred Garrow, of Willow Creek, with a few of her friends are on a fishing trip to the mountains.

A very severe rain storm visited the district on Monday week. Some of the people figuratively danced for joy to see it come.

The Trout Creek picnic held on July 13th was spoiled by the rain storm but they are going to have another picnic soon.

Miss J. Croyton, of Calgary, is visiting Mrs. Bell. She leaves for her home this Wednesday. Mrs. Garrow spent a few days at Mrs. Bell's also.

Mr. Vadnais had a valuable barn burned on Saturday evening. The fire started about ten o'clock and as the family were away at the dance, no one knew how it started.

Meadow Creek and Beaver Creek played a return match on Saturday afternoon. The score was 8 to 25 in favor of "The Reds." There was a large attendance to witness the game on the home diamond. After the game lunch was served at Mr. Vadnais'. In the evening a dance given by "The Reds" in the Meadow Creek school was much enjoyed.

## Bought It Themselves

The Claresholm Volunteer Fire Brigade have had a new hose reel added to the equipment at the Fire Hall. This addition to the fire-fighting apparatus will give the citizens an even greater sense of security in case of a large fire breaking out. But it is to be hoped that the brigade will not be put to a test so long as the water supply comes in dribbles. The pump-stream that was available at the last fire was pitiful in the extreme.

## Blacktail

Summer-fallowing is the order of the day.

Divine service was held in the school last Sunday at 7 p.m.

John Carmichael and Bob Vanicee attended a horse sale at Nanton on Friday last.

The Misses Lane and friends from Calgary are spending a few weeks at the ranch during this hot spell.

J. Carmichael and friends have been spending a most enjoyable time fishing on his ranch in the foothills.

## Prairie Dell

Wm. Muckenbirm has a new style of a bath house and it saves many a trip to the creek.

Enid Sandquist attended the Fair at Lethbridge last week.

Miss Fitzmaurice and Mrs. Dave Shupenko were in Stavelly last Saturday.

## Living on Dew

The motor at the creek pumping station burned out last Wednesday and some time is required to replace the burned parts. In the meantime Nels Peterson is taking a holiday at Banff where the sulphur water is taking a fall out of his rheumatism.

## Profit and Pleasure

Do you remember the relay contest which the Calgary Herald carried on last fall? In it you were to find out the title of some well-known book as suggested by the pictures. We are giving you the same opportunity. Instead of one picture a day, we shall give you six pictures a week. Instead of books and clocks as prizes, we are offering cash prizes. Instead of the thousands of competitors with which you had to compete in the Herald contest, you will have only hundreds. No extraordinary ability will be required; nor will a lack of knowledge of prominent athletic characters be any handicap. Men, women and children will enjoy this contest. Why not make up your mind to win a prize and make it profitable as well.

## Surer Than Wheat

We have consistently preached the gospel of "mixed farming" and occasionally the subject may have become wearisome. But here is another example of what can be done in a comparatively small way on an average farm. J. H. Walton of the Willow Bend Ranch, kept a strict account of the produce of 11 cows for six months with the following results:

11 cows produced 4708 lbs. cream or 428 lbs. from 1 cow for 6 mos., which is 71 2/3 lbs. average 1 cow 1 month.

This figured out \$392.00 from 11 cows in 6 mos., or \$35.50 from 1 cow in 6 mos., or \$60.00 from 1 cow 1 month.

If Mr. Walton had shipped the milk instead his returns would have been trebled. But with the cream he gets, say one calf from each cow. He has the skim milk to feed to his calves and his pigs. One lesson here, however, to get satisfactory results one must have good stock. In Mr. Walton's case the head of his herd of milk cows is Blue Ribbon (92007) of undoubtedly blooded lineage, his dam being Rosa (91811) and he was sired by Red Count (81766) with direct lineal connection with Lavinia (299).

## No Use for a Man

Grace Russell's "Merry Minstrel Maids" a remarkably clever aggregation of entertainers, will appear at the Opera House, Friday evening, July 24. These noted entertainers carry through a show that is of decided interest from start to finish. Everywhere this company has appeared it has been met with a great attendance. It is not usual for a big show to be produced by young women only, but that is what the "Merry Minstrel Maids" do. They not only carry through the show, but the stage is managed and the company is looked after by women. Miss Grace Russell is bringing the company to Claresholm. It carries its own orchestra. Those who are looking for delightful theatrical entertainment cannot afford to miss seeing the "Merry Minstrel Maids" in their great show. Seats are now on sale at Reimold's Dr. 12 Street.

## Purse For Marathoners

The Claresholm Agricultural Society will donate two prizes (Purses) to the winners of the 5 mile Marathon race to be held at Claresholm on Friday 24th inst. Does not the famous Lohan runner and other Indian long distance runners will compete in this event.





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WEDNESDAY, JULY 22, 1914.

### ON THE OIL SITUATION

The editor spent a few days in Calgary last week and was given an opportunity to learn something of the inwards of the oil situation. He came home thoroughly convinced that the local company offers a safer and better investment than ninety per cent of the companies offering their shares to a gullible public. There is but a limited supply of the "yellow backs" in the country and even if the available funds were fairly divided among the three hundred odd companies there would be for each a slack treasury. For the development of the oil resources of this province, there are too many companies. Consolidation will come inevitably and in these mergers the shareholders of the weaker companies will not be the gainers. This brings us back to the fact that a local company, whose shareholders stand to gain as much by the development of the district as they do from the dividends of the company which they represent, is the safest and sanest company, all other things being equal, in which to put the hard-earned savings of a reasonably fair share of the winnins. The actual price of a share in a company means little, if anything. Some cheap shares are dear at the lowest figure and some are cheap at the highest figure asked. The wise investor is not gambling when he purchases shares in a reliable company but is joining a pool to attempt to discover the unknown quantity and thus is dividing the risk with his fellows as he also will share in the gain if oil is found. This being the case it is not wiser to enter a pool in which if a winning is made one will not only directly benefit with his fellows in the pool but will in directly share with every person in the district whether they be holders of oil-stock or not.

There is absolutely no reason for waiting for a strike in the Dingman field. We have favorable indications here. We are nearer to the district in which, upon the sworn statements of more than one who was associated with the drilling of Alberta's first prospecting oil well, oil was encountered at 1200 feet. A failure to bring in a gusher in the Calgary fields would not settle, for or against, the probability of oil being found here in paying quantities. In fact, it is the opinion of many who are in a position to form better conclusions as to the probability of a large oil field in Alberta, that the far north or the extreme south offer fair possibilities than elsewhere in the province. The people in this district want to know and how can they secure that knowledge better than by strong support of the local company? Hesitation because one's means will not permit of a large investment is unwise. A dollar from ten is as good as ten dollar from one.

The sixty-two local men in the local oil company are in earnest. We believe that if other means failed and more money were required, that each one would go down again for another hundred or so. With this in mind, the local investor has a feeling of security that the foreign company does not give him. It would be a calamity if a drill should not be working in the nearby field before the snow flies. But in the capable hands guiding the local oil company's interests, we predict, that with a little more ready response locally, a string of tools will be on the ground within a month.

Are You a Subscriber

## Teachers in Summer Session at Edmonton

In order to improve the teachers in their ability to teach such subjects as agriculture, gardening, nature study, art, manual and household arts, the Minister of Education last year directed that a Summer Session for Teachers be organized at the Provincial University. The responsibility for its organization was placed on Dr. J. C. Miller then Principal of the Normal School at Camrose. Eighty teachers attended and profited greatly, while at the same time they thoroughly enjoyed their summer's work.

The success of the Session caused the Minister to provide for expansion this year, and Dr. Jas. C. Miller, Provincial Director of Technical Education, was placed in charge of the work again. The attendance this year, if the inspectors and members of the staff are included will be two hundred. Over one hundred additional teachers have asked to be enrolled, but the legislative appropriation for the work was not sufficient to make it possible to admit them.

Over forty of the eighty who attended last year are returning for additional work in the various subjects. The school inspectors will be in attendance this year to get in close touch with the new work being given the teachers, so that they may have a satisfactory relationship to the work of the teachers in the field. From no less than 55 different centres are the teachers coming. Edmonton district contributes 20, Medicine Hat and Red Cliff 16, Lethbridge and Taber 14, Calgary 12, Red Deer 9, Wetaskwin 6, Camrose 6, Cardston and Raymond districts 5, the Crown Nest Pass 7, Stettler 4, Edson 4, and from some seventy other points one or more are coming.

The enrolment by courses is as follows: Preliminary Courses in Agriculture 120, Advanced Courses in Agriculture 44, Courses in Nature Study 92, in the Manual Training Courses 74, in the Art Courses 105, in the Domestic Science Courses 64, and in the Physical Training Courses 60.

The benefit to be derived from attendance at these sessions is not limited to that of more efficient work in these subjects. It is a splendid intellectual, professional and social tonic, especially for these teachers who have been teaching in the smaller town and village schools and in the one-teacher rural schools. It is an excellent means whereby teachers coming from other provinces or from the Motherland and holding full qualifications may be brought into real touch with their fellow teachers in the Province and with the Departmental Officials. These teachers holding qualifications which admit them into their schools find themselves very much alone and out of touch with the general spirit and dominating purpose of the educational policy of the Province.

### Not Needed Here

An appeal will be made to the Dominion government for assistance to farmers in Southern Saskatchewan and Alberta, where the crop is practically a total failure. The government will be asked to vote a sum of money, about \$10,000,000 is the amount estimated, to make loans to farmers in the territory affected by drought, so that they may buy cattle and feed, pay their most pressing financial obligations and taxes, keep their homes, and maintain their families until next year's crop is harvested.

### Blacktail

J. Carmichael and friends have been spending a most enjoyable time fishing in his ranch in the Foot Hills.

Summer-fallowing is the order of the day. Divine service was held in the school last Sunday at 7 p.m.

## THE PEOPLE'S CORNER

Advertisements inserted under this heading, not over six lines, for an insertion; three insertions for \$1.00. Lost, Found, Stolen, For Sale, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, all bring quickest and best results when inserted in the Advertiser. Remember, we issue papers for Stavelly, Granum, Cayley, and Clareisholm.

### CHOPPED BARLEY

For sale 6 tons of chopped barley for feed. Apply to O. A. Finstad, Clareisholm, Alta. 10d.

### FOUND A LAP ROBE

A lap robe was found near P. T. Gible's farm. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advt. 15-1

### LOST HUB CAP

Lost on the Carmanagan road, a nickelled cap for the hub of a Hupp car. Finder please notify H. O. Haslam, Clareisholm, Alta. 1t

### LADY'S COAT LOST

Dropped somewhere on the road between M. G. Sandford's, near Stavelly and Clareisholm, the coat of a ladies' grey suit, about July 15th. Finder please phone or notify, O. J. Granlin, Stavelly. 1t

### Notice

Notice is hereby given under Section 210 of "The Rural Municipality Act" and of The Royal Municipality of Argyle no 99. Dated, June 27th, 1914, there were impounded on the 23rd day of June, 1914, in the Pound kept by the undersigned on the S.E. 1/4 Sec. 4, T. 12, Range 26, W. of the 4th Meridian. One brown gelding, aged.

Ole Housstad,  
Poundkeeper,  
Stettler 4, Edson 4, and from some seventy other points one or more are coming.

## PROFESSIONAL AND SMALL BUSINESS CARDS

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## TOWN OF STAVELLY

### NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Stavelly, in the Province of Alberta.

Notice is hereby given that His Honor Judge McNeill, Judge of the District Court, District of Macleod, by Order dated the 6th day of May, 1914, has appointed Thursday the 17th day of September, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Council Chamber, Stavelly, as the time and place for holding a Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return for the Town of Stavelly, for arrears of Taxes due to the Town to the 31st day of December, 1913.

Dated at Stavelly, in the Province of Alberta, this 9th day of June, 1914.

R. A. HOPKINS,  
Secretary-Treasurer  
for the Town of Stavelly.

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R. C. MCCONNELL, Report of the Geological Survey

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## Parkland Sports

One of the most successful sports days in these parts was the Parkland sports on Friday July 16th. Owing to the fact that advertising was only begun on the Tuesday previous, there were many who did not hear about it in time to go, but there was a splendid crowd out on any way.

The committee in charge were much disappointed because no ice-cream came as ordered and this materially reduced the receipts.

The splendid racing events which were put on resulted as follows.

One of the most interesting parts of the sports program was the horse races. The free-for-all was won by Sidney Cochlan, with Art Hopkins following closely. Cochlan was first in the farm horse race, Hawk second. Cochlan also won the pony race. Ellis second. The cowboys' race fell to Cochlan, Christensen second. The finish of the ladies' saddle race showed Mrs. Fisher and Bernice Anderson, in the order named.

The athletic sports and foot races were well contested. In the 100 yards Miller beat McChesney; Montgomery and McMaster were ahead of Lenlie and Scott in the 3-legged race and Kerrison and Redcliffe beat the same pair in the wheelbarrow race. James Murray won the 1st men's race. Theo. Roy and Cyril King were in the order named in the race for boys under 12 and Lenlie and Chas. Hawk were first and second respectively in the race for boys under 15. The girls' races, under 15, Strathorn won. Mayhew second and in the 3-legged race, L. Wilson and E. Mayhew beat L. Mayhew and E. Amundsen.

In the bucking contest, Bert McChesney came off victor with a splendid exhibition of horsemanship which merited the burst of applause with which the decision was greeted.

## Stavely Orangemen Excursion

The following Orangemen journeyed to Calgary on Saturday, July 11th, on the excursion train, to celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne. Rev. J. M. Fawcett, W. M.; Eric Harvey, D. M.; Thos. Childs, Sr., Chap.; Thos. Childs, Jr., Secretary; Alex. Livingstone, Chas. Thrasher, Bert Benson, Joe. Best, Wm. Best.

All these are members of J. G. Nowlan L.O.L., No. 2217, located at Stavely. They report the finest celebration ever held in Alberta.

Sixty-six lodges took part in the parade which took an hour to pass a given point. Many others beside the Orangemen took advantage of the excursion.

## Prairie Dell

Wm. Muckenheim has a new style of a bath house and it saves many a trip to the creek.

Emil Sundquist attended the Fair at Lethbridge last week.

Miss Fitzmaurice and Mrs. Dave Schutkowski were in Stavely last Saturday.

## NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE TOWN ACT, and in the matter of the Town of Clareholm Tax Enforcement Return.

Before His Honour, Judge McNeill, in Chambers.

Machod, Friday the 10th Day of July, A.D. 1914.

(UPON the application of H. O. Haslam, Solicitor for The Town of Clareholm.

I hereby appoint Tuesday the 28th day of September A.D. 1914, at the Court House (old Yellow Hall) in the Town of Clareholm in the Province of Alberta, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon or soon thereafter as may be convenient for holding a Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Clareholm.

Edu. P. McNeill, Judge, District Court, Machod. 15-22

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## OUR FAIR OFFERINGS

**London Union Oils, Ltd.**

**\$1 Par**

A "strike" at Monarch will come in a few days. Watch this stock climb. Better climb with it.

**\$1.00**

**Beaver Oils, Ltd.**

**15 cents**

Drilling in three weeks or less. On Dingman anticline. Best life. buy on the market.

**15c**

**Athabasca Petroleum**

**\$1 Par**

Arrangements made for drilling on a large scale. Oil already found in nearby field. Several private concerns commencing operation here.

**\$1.00**

**Beacon Oils, Limited**

**10 cents**

This stock will advance end of week. Splendid locations. Reliable men at head.

**10c**

**The Standard Oil Fields**

**\$1 with Option**

Drilling will commence at once. Derrick built. Rig at Calgary. Stock to \$1.50 Aug. 1st. \$2.00 when drill at work.

**\$1.00**

**Clareholm Oil Company, Ltd.**

**75 cents**

Negotiating for drill. If successful will drill at once near home. Loyalty to the district and loyalty to self both served by buying shares in the local company.

**75c**

**Mud Lake Oil Fields**

**25 cents**

Tools on road. Report of analysis of shale says oil extracted. Live men behind this company. Last chances this week.

**25c**

## The Alberta Oil & Brokerage Co.

## Beacon Lights the Way

**Reasonable Capitalization**

**1,000,000 shares at par value \$1.00**

**Locations Exceptionally Favorable**

**10c**

First well will be drilled either 450 yards from Mowbray-Berkley; 600 yards from Dome; 1900 yards from Black Diamond No. 1 or on N.W. 4; 34-29-5, w-5th, on same anticline as the Monarch.

**Purchasers of Stock Protected**

**10c**

Stock issued for lease purchase is held in escrow and cannot be so'd at less than par \$1.00 until \$40,000 working capital is in the treasury.

**Safe and Sane Directorate**

**A One Dollar Share Now 10 cents.....This Holds Until Saturday July 25th**

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Place doses in the morning when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

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It cures constipation, indigestion, flatulence, sick headache, and distress after eating.

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## SHIPS WHICH BREAK IN TWO

An Accident to Oklahoma May Explain Some Mysterious Disappearances

Important questions are raised by the wreck of the tanker steamer Oklahoma, which should not be lost sight of in the tragedy of the fleetless and the remarkable escape of the ship.

It is not longer ago than 1908 when a steamship of about 5,000 tons, either when balanced on top of a wave or when it was overtaken by two waves, it broke in two apparently as quickly as a falling leaf.

That it happened in construction was the first indication, but the fact that the steamer had sailed from some time under a full head of steam and nearly ran down the bow half, which left about half sunk by the stern, led to a general conclusion.

If one might say apparently the most modern construction, one low break in two under the mere stress of wave motion, why may not other, including passenger vessels, be exposed to the same danger?

Of fact they are, and have many cases ascribed to the fact.

There was the Western Reserve on the great lakes, when she went down at full speed on such an accident.

The British torpedo boat catcher Cordoba, which was lost in 1907, was also on the coast.

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## Fault of the Dictionary

A business concern, after running its own trial organ for some time, decided that it must have a printing department under its own supervision.

Because it found that the "ordinary" printing office was not equipped to get out large quantities of special matter on short notice in an unusual manner and at an equivalent cost.

Soon after one partner turned to the other and said: "You spell 'equus,' or 'equus' in equitation?"

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## Cure Children's Colics By External Treatment

Mothers Will Find Nothing so Speedy and Reliable as Old-Time 'Nervine'

It's really a shame to trust a young child's stomach by internal dosages.

When your baby comes in after play, his feet feel cold, his throat is hoarse and sore, his little chest tight and he is crying.

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Large shipment of Ladies', Children's and Men's Shoes. All New Styles.

Another Lot of New Silks and Muslins just arrived

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FRESH STOCK OF GROCERIES ON HAND

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## CLARESHOLM LOCALS

Miss Jessie West is visiting friends in town.

Dr. I. Dixon, of Stavelly, was here on Friday last.

F. Downs went to Calgary on a business trip on Monday.

The Advertiser's Summer Pastime contest begins next week.

One Hundred Dollars in Cash Prizes given away in The Advertiser's Ruben Contest.

A. J. Smith, of the Bank of Commerce, is relieving at Stavelly for a couple of months.

The father of D. A. Mackinnon, from Toronto, is visiting his son at Meadow Creek.

Major G. H. Schoof is moving his family to Lethbridge about the first of August.

Nels Petersen and daughter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Larkin last Sunday.

Sunny Alberta is justifying its title. W. T. Cochran had ripe tomatoes from his own vines on July 12th.

Willow Creek and Meadow Creek Sunday Schools picked together on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Buckingham left on Monday for Ripley, Ont., where she will spend a month visiting friends in Bruce county.

Martin Lebean is recovering nicely according to the last report. Martin's friends will be pleased to hear of his recovery.

Harry Knight has been transferred to the branch of the Union Bank at Cochrane and left on Saturday to take up his new duties.

Miss R. K. Harrison is attending the Summer School at Pincher Creek this week. Rev. J. M. Fawcett and wife, of Stavelly, are also in attendance.

Mrs. Toppman and Andrew Stewart, of Calgary, were the guests of Nels and P. J. Peterson for the weekend, leaving for Calgary on Monday.

Mrs. C. D. Ayling, who has been spending the past month with friends in Calgary, returned this week, much improved in health, through the change.

Thos. Moore, of the "44" and his daughter Grace, spent the week end in town. Mr. Moore left on Monday evening for Calgary on a short business trip.

The local W. C. T. U. will have a rest tent on the fair grounds this year. All are invited to make use of this convenience and get acquainted with the ladies of the Union.

Principal Stephen is one of the representatives of the provincial schools of agriculture appointed by the government to attend the Irrigation Conference at Penticton, B.C.

Kate Miller left on Saturday to spend her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller at Creston, B. C. She spent Sunday in Macleod, the guest of Mrs. Benson.

The editor of The Advertiser died suddenly on Sunday last on journey from the Old Man River. There had fallen a piscatorial prey to the rod of "Isaak Walton" Geo. Maxwell and through his kindness found their way to the editor's table.

Mrs. J. H. Walton, who has been seriously ill at her sister's, Mrs. R. S. Law, is recovering.

Miss L. Sellick has opened up a dressmaking parlor in the suite above the new Alberta Garage and will be ready for orders in her business the first of the week.

An Adamless baseball team is to play here to-morrow. The All-American Baseball Girls team will meet a picked team at the exhibition grounds. Ask them if they beat Nanton. If so, extend to them the heartiest hospitality.

Fred Anderson's team got tired of standing and started at a run between the tracks northward. Fred was distanced but a couple of sprinters headed the team and stopped them at the freight shed. No damage resulted.

Seventeen cents a day will make you the possessor of the "Silent Seven" the latest word in Oliver Typewriters. Just save and pay monthly at this rate and have the machine while you pay. The Claresholm agency is at The Advertiser office.

Nick Taittinger's Claresholm exhibit in grains at the Lethbridge Fair did credit to the district and to himself and should set a pace for others in this district. He secured first in two-rowed barley, his six-rowed variety winning third as did the Marquis wheat.

Eileen, the three year old daughter of C. N. Booth, was operated upon on Monday for an attack of appendicitis by Dr. McEwen of Calgary and the little one is improving nicely at last report. Our readers will be pleased to hear that little Eileen is recovering.

Three new judges received their appointment to the Alberta Supreme Court recently. The Dominion government selection fell upon M. S. McCarthy of Calgary, J. D. Hyndman, of Edmonton, and W. C. Ives of Lethbridge. All are comparatively young men and are of eastern Canada birth.

Some here will remember Sylvester Bell, a brother of Harry, once of the Wilton and will hear with regret of his death by drowning a week ago in Ontario. No particulars have been learned save that a cramp is thought to have seized him while bathing in comparatively shallow water and as no assistance was at hand Sylvester drowned.

Nanton and Granum played a tie game in the Oil-Belt series on Friday last, the result being a tie, 12-12. It was a game of ups and downs, the home team being 10 to Granum's 4 in the sixth and Granum being 2-up in the first of the eighth. Nanton got one run in their half of the eighth and in the ninth another, which is disputed by Granum, tying the score.

An appeal will be made to the Dominion government for assistance to farmers in Southern Saskatchewan and Alberta, where the crop is practically a total failure. The government will be asked to vote a sum of money, about \$10,000,000 is the amount estimated, to make loans to farmers in the territory affected by drought, so that they may buy cattle and feed, pay their most pressing financial obligations and taxes, keep their homes, and maintain their families until next year's crop is harvested.

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**We Are Specialists in Meats.**

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It Churns, Washes, Salts and Works the Butter without removal from the Barrel

DOES IT PAY TO DO YOUR OWN CHURNING?

Ten gallons of 35 per cent cream, weighing 83 lbs., contains about 29 lbs of butterfat and will make about 34 lbs of butter.

29 lbs Butter at 25c..... \$7.25

34 lbs Butter at 25c..... \$8.50

Profit \$ 1.25

365 days at \$1.25 is \$456.25 What say?

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**W. M. ROSS**

Hardware Merchant,

CLARESHOLM

**Plymouth Twine**

Standard 500 ft. \$10.50 per hundred Cash.

\$11.50 per hundred, Nov. 1st, 1914

Leave Your Orders Early

We have Contract to Supply U.F.A.

**FRANK MURRAY & CO.**

**BRING YOUR HARNESS WANTS TO US**

We have all the accessories and all the "toggery" your horse needs. We can fit him out completely. Everything in the harness line. Cheap Sets and Costly Sets; Collars, Holes, Blankets, etc. Compare our goods and prices with those shown elsewhere. We'll leave our offerings to your good judgment. Repairs Promptly Attended To.

**J. T. KINGSLEY, The Harness Man CLARESHOLM, ALBERTA**

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"The Universal Car"

It conquers distance at the lowest cost. Think of it—thousands of Ford owners are travelling for less than two cents a mile. The Ford has given the freedom of the "open road" to the man of moderate means.

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has installed a

**Large Double Acting Garage Pump**

by which your tires can be filled in half the time it takes elsewhere

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